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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) 532792000610
Application Number 09/992,901	Filed	November 14, 2001

For **GENETICALLY MODIFIED PLANTS HAVING MODULATED BRASSINOSTEROID SIGNALING**Art Unit **1638** Examiner **C. Collins**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	Fee	Small Entity Fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
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Deposit Account Number 03-1852 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/98).
 attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,661
 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34

Michael R. Ward
Signature

June 13, 2005

Date

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 225.00)

Complete If Known	
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First Named Inventor	Michael M. NEFF
Examiner Name	C. Collins
Art Unit	1638
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	-0-
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	-0-
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	-0-
Reissue	300	150	500	250	500	300	-0-
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	-0-

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Small Entity Fee (\$)

Fee (\$)

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200

100

Multiple dependent claims

360

180

Total Claims

Extra Claims

Fee (\$)

Fee Paid (\$)

Multiple Dependent Claims

Fee (\$)

Fee Paid (\$)

29

-41 or HP

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HP + highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$)

Fee Paid (\$)

3

-3 or HP

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HP + highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(e).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Other: EXTENSION OF TIME (2 MONTHS) \$225.00

SUBMITTED BY: MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP

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